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**ESTATE OF EDNA CLARK**  
STATE OF VERMONT. The Hon-  
orable District Court for the District of Bennington, ss. I, Able F. Clark, Clerk of said District, do hereby certify that the following is a true and correct copy of the will of Edna Clark, late of Bennington, in said District, deceased.  
GREETING  
WHEREAS, said Court has assigned the 1st day of May next for examining and allowing the account of the Executor of the estate of said deceased and for a decree of the residue of said estate to the lawful claimants of the same, and ordered that public notice thereof be given to all persons interested in said estate by publishing this order three weeks successively previous to the day assigned, in the Bennington Evening Banner, a newspaper published at Bennington, in said District.  
THEREFORE you are hereby notified to appear at the Probate Office in Bennington in said District, on the day assigned, and there to contest the allowance of said account if you see cause, and establish your right as heirs, legatees and lawful claimants to said residue.  
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AMY E. HARRISON, Register.

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## AUSTRIANS REVOLT IN CANADIAN PRISON CAMP

Refuse to Work and Attack Their Guards

ONE KILLED, SEVERAL WOUNDED

Rifles and Bayonets Freely Used to Quell Outbreak at Kapuskasing, Ontario.

Cochran, Ont., May 16.—An outbreak among Austrian prisoners of war in the internment camps at Kapuskasing, Ont., last Friday was quelled by the military authorities after one of the prisoners had been killed, nine seriously wounded, several fatally, and four slightly injured, it was learned here last night.

The revolt is said to have been started by about 300 Austrian prisoners who were removed from the camp at Pnearium, where they had refused to work and had turned on their guards. They were taken Wednesday under heavy guard to the Kapuskasing camps, about 60 miles west of Cochran on the Transcontinental railway.

The new arrivals continued to manifest a spirit of insubordination at Kapuskasing. The smoldering unrest culminated Friday in a riot, and the guards fired on the prisoners. Rifles and bayonets were used freely, it is said, and the outbreak, in which other prisoners participated, was not quelled for several hours. There were no casualties among the soldiers.

Major-General Sir Sam Hughes, minister of militia, last night sent Gen. Logie, commanding the Toronto military district, to Kapuskasing to take charge of the situation and report to him. The camps were reported to be quiet last night.

**NEW MANUFACTURING COMPANY**  
The Badger-Hallwell Company Have Rented Part of Olin Scott Plant

The Badger-Hallwell company, owned by two Bridgeporters, have rented a portion of the Olin Scott plant and by the first of June expect to have from a dozen to 18 men employed in the manufacture of taps, dies and machine tools.

The partners have a shop engaged in this sort of production in Bridgeport and in getting their Bennington shop running smoothly, may dismantle the former. They have rented the downstairs room in the other half of the building now utilized by Maj. H. D. Fillmore as an office, also the entire floor overhead and part of the foundry. The Olin Scott estate will probably handle of such casting business as they may have.

The new business is a modest affair, yet bids fair to bring several new families into town. Machinery will be installed during the coming fortnight.

**DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS**  
At Room in Front of Apollo Hall Tuesday Evening, May 16.

By direction of the Democratic State Committee and the Democratic Committee of the First Congressional District, of the State of Vermont, the Democratic voters of the Town of Bennington are hereby notified and warned to meet in caucus at room in front of Apollo Hall, on South street in said Bennington Tuesday evening, May 16, 1916 at eight o'clock for the following purposes:

First:—To choose eleven delegates and eleven alternates to attend the Democratic State Convention to be held at Burlington, Vermont May 25th, 1916.

Second:—To choose eleven delegates and eleven alternates to attend the Democratic District Convention to be held at Burlington, Vermont, May 25th, 1916.

Third:—To elect a Democratic Town Committee for the ensuing two years.

Fourth:—To transact any other business found proper when met.

E. J. Tiffany,  
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## ASQUITH RECEIVES COOL WELCOME IN BELFAST

Conference With Representative Ulster Men Disappointing

SUSPICIOUS OF HOME RULE

Newspapers Advise Caution in Regard to Any Promises Premier May Make.

Belfast, May 15.—Stubborn disinclination to accept anything in the way of a Government which might imply the future subjection of Ulster to home rule was evident today on the occasion of Premier Asquith's visit to Belfast, which lasted only a few hours. So far as can be learned, the Premier's conference with a large body of representative Ulster men was disappointing.

It is understood that the question of the general disarmament of forces in Ireland not authorized by the Government was discussed, and, although those present were pledged to secrecy, it is rumored that cold water had been thrown on the proposal. The discussion was very full and frank, but it is asserted that the result was unsatisfactory.

A telegram from Sir Edward Carson to the Ulster Unionist Council did not bring about an alleviation of the situation. Sir Edward wired:

"I know nothing whatever as to the rumors as to the Government of Ireland appearing in the press nor as to the foundation for them."

Belfast itself does not show any signs of accepting the compromise, which it is understood Mr. Redmond is ready to offer. Ulster's capital was almost entirely unaffected by the recent rebellion, and the provisions of martial law have not been enforced. Everything is outwardly calm, but the keenest interest underlies the surface appearance, and many Ulsterites declare their determination to have no dealings with the Nationalists. All the newspapers in Belfast advise caution in regard to any promise that the Premier may have made, but which are not yet public property.

Mr. Asquith returned to Dublin tonight, where it is reported, further court-martials will be conducted openly.

**REUNION OF COMPANY K.**  
Stag Party of Spanish War Veterans Tuesday Night.

Less than two dozen men, all that are left locally of 94 who enlisted in Company K, 1st Vermont regiment, for the Spanish War, held a stag dinner in the Odd Fellows hall last evening, a good meal being supplied and served by the Rebekahs.

The reunion was the 18th anniversary of the local boys leaving Bennington for the war. After enlisting here, they mobilized with other Vermont troops at Burlington where after a rigid physical examination and weeding out of the unfit, they were sent to Chickamauga—which is as much as they saw of the war.

Many of the boys have moved elsewhere, some have died in the meantime, but that did not detract from the good time at last night's supper. After the meal a social hour of story-telling followed.

In the business meeting which followed William E. Frost was chosen president of the local branch of the United Spanish-American War veterans association and E. H. Holden secretary.

**WEATHER FORECAST**  
For eastern New York and western Vermont showers tonight and warmer. Wednesday probably fair and colder.

**REPUBLICAN CAUCUS**  
Tuesday Evening at Apollo Hall at 8 O'clock.

By direction of the Republican state committee, the republican voters of the town of Bennington, and all persons intending to vote and act with the Republican party at the approaching November election, are hereby notified, warned and invited to attend and participate in a caucus or convention of the Republican party of the town of Bennington, to be held in Apollo hall, so-called, on South street, in the village of Bennington, Tuesday evening, May 16th, at eight o'clock, for the following purposes:

1st. To elect ten delegates and ten alternates to represent the Republican party of the town of Bennington at the Republican state convention to be held at Montpelier, Vermont, Friday, May 26th, 1916.

2nd. To elect a Republican town committee for the ensuing two years.

3rd. To transact any other business found necessary when met.  
Bennington, Vermont, May 10th, 1916.  
Republican Town Committee.  
By Walter H. Berry,  
For the Committee.

## COUNTY ENDEAVORERS

Annual Meeting to Be Held at Dorset on May 20

The annual meeting of the Bennington Christian Endeavor Union will be held at the Congregational church at Dorset on Saturday, May 20. An invitation is extended to all of the young people of the Bennington county churches to attend the sessions. The program is as follows:

**Morning**  
Prayer and Praise Service  
Rev. C. W. Turner  
Appointment of Committees  
Address—Spring Grove  
Rev. Peter Heller  
11:20 Illustrated Lecture—The City.  
A House Mission Field.  
Rev. W. G. Toward, Bennington  
11:50 Committee Meetings  
(Convention Committees)  
Conference, Missions  
Miss H. Ione Smith  
Conference, The Efficiency Campaign  
Rev. Mabel T. Winch

**Afternoon**  
Prayer and Praise Service  
Rev. C. W. Turner  
Business Meeting  
Reports of Officers  
Roll Call of Societies  
(Reading of Reports)  
Address—Prayer  
Rev. J. P. Dickerman  
Address—The Juniors Today  
Miss Hilda Pratt  
Address—Our Goals in Christian Endeavor  
Miss H. Ione Smith, Secretary  
Vermont Christian Endeavor Union  
Address—Young People in Church and School  
F. D. Mabrey, Principal  
Bennington High School  
Address—The War Experiences of a Missionary in Turkey  
Mr. E. W. Yarrow, Van, Turkey

**Report of Committees**  
Election of Officers  
Award of Banner Rev. Geo. S. Mills  
The present officers of the county organization are:  
President, A. Sidney Edson, Bennington; vice-president, Earl Storrs, Manchester Center; secretary, Miss H. Ione Smith, Shushan, N. Y.; treasurer, Miss Julia Loomis, Bennington; Junior Supt., Miss Carrie Wood, Bennington; missionary Supt., Mrs. Agnes T. Sexton, Bennington; delegates Supt., F. B. Pope, Bennington.

**DISTRICT STEWARDS MEET**  
Sessions Held at Rutland—Secretary and Trustees Elected.

Rutland, May 15.—The annual meeting of the stewards of the Burlington district of the Methodist Church was held at the local church today. The 20 men present had a busy session and then were served with dinner by women of the church through the courtesy of the Rev. H. M. Kent of this city district superintendent.

The stewards re-elected F. C. Dyer of Salisbury secretary, D. L. Morgan of Rutland, Mr. Dyer and Henry Spallholz of Poultney were made trustees for another year. The following committees were appointed: Apportionments, D. R. Haskins, Granville, N. Y.; Mr. Spallholz, M. B. Morgan, Bennington; salaries, Mr. Spallholz, Mr. Dyer, D. L. Morgan; auditing, D. L. Morgan, L. A. Severy, Brandon; C. E. Adams, Fair Haven; H. F. Reach, Canton.

It was voted to make the apportionment of money to be raised for the next year \$2,250, which was the same as in 1915-16.

The trustees reported that \$322.55 was paid out for various purposes, including parsonage repairs during the last 12 months in addition to \$2,000 for the salary of the superintendent and \$100 for his traveling expenses. There was received \$2,125.25 from the apportionment plan and \$65 by subscription. This left a debt of \$48 for the year, due mainly to the repairs.

**SHIFT TO CHAMPAGNE**  
Germans Have Changed Field of Active Operations.

London, May 15.—German activities have shifted in part to the Champagne front, where last September the French gained much ground by a terrific drive. Following heavy artillery fire last night on both sides near the Butte de Mesnil and Les Maisons de Champagne, the Germans made simultaneous attacks at several points, but, according to the French War Office, these efforts were fruitless.

Small successes are reported by Paris as the result of assaults delivered south of the Somme and on the heights of the Meuse.

There has been considerable minor fighting on the British front. Near Hullouch, the British War office report states, a crater, resulting from a German mine explosion, was won from the Teutons after a sharp engagement.

**HOW CASEMENT WAS CAUGHT**  
London, May 16.—John McCarty, a Kerry county farmer and not English detective brought about the arrest of Sir Roger Casement it was developed today during the trial of the baronet at the Bow-street police court.

McCarty, who was a witness, testified that he observed a small boat off the Irish coast near Tralee. Foot prints in the sand increased his suspicion and he carried the news to the nearest garrison. Casement's arrest followed.

Harry R. Buss wishes to state that he did not entertain a party of friends at his home last Friday evening and that the item in Saturday's Banner was incorrect.

## COMMITTEE LETS CONTRACT FOR HOSPITAL

Building to Be Constructed by McDermott & Hanigan of New York

LOWEST OF FIVE BIDS, \$80,500

Award Stipulates that Work Shall be Completed Not Later Than March 1, 1917.

McDermott & Hanigan, Inc., of 192 Park avenue, New York, will build the Henry W. Putnam memorial hospital. The contract was awarded yesterday at \$80,500 and it is stipulated that the structure shall be completed on March 1, 1917. The award does not include excavation, heating, electric wiring and fixtures.

A. W. Braisted and L. S. Norton, two members of the building committee, returned this morning from New York where they have been during the past four days on business connected with the awarding of the contract. J. B. Wilbur of Manchester, the third member of the committee, has been in New York for some time.

Mr. McDermott of the contracting firm will be in Bennington during the present week when it is expected that the contract for the excavation will be let. This work will be done under the supervision of the contracting firm.

It is also expected that a New York landscape gardener, who has been engaged to lay out the hospital grounds, will be in Bennington before Saturday.

The building committee received bids from five general contractors and there was but little difference in the amounts of the estimates. McDermott & Hanigan's figures were \$1500 below those in the next highest estimate.

The plan submitted to the competing contractors was the revision of the original prepared by Harry Leslie Walker of New York. It has been passed upon by Dr. Goldwater of New York, considered one of the best authorities on hospital construction.

Members of the building committee are confident that the contract for the hospital has been well placed. During their stay in New York they put in considerable time along the line of investigation and they are satisfied that the firm is in every way competent to do the work. In recent years McDermott & Hanigan have built no less than 14 churches in and around New York city and the firm has also put up several convents. It is at present at work on a \$7,000,000 building of the latter description on Long Island.

**BIG LEAGUE BASEBALL**  
American League

Cleveland 6, New York 4.  
Philadelphia 5, St. Louis 4.  
Washington 6, Detroit 5 (11 innings).  
Chicago-Boston, wet grounds.

**Standing of the Teams**

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
Cleveland	19	9	.679
Washington	16	9	.640
New York	13	12	.520
Boston	13	13	.500
Detroit	13	14	.481
Chicago	12	16	.429
Philadelphia	10	15	.400
St. Louis	8	16	.333

**National League**  
Pittsburg 8, Boston 7.  
Brooklyn 4, St. Louis 2 (11 innings).  
Philadelphia 7, Cincinnati 4.  
New York 3, Chicago 2.

**Standing of the Teams**

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
Brooklyn	13	6	.685
Boston	12	8	.600
Philadelphia	12	10	.545
Chicago	12	13	.500
St. Louis	12	13	.500
Cincinnati	12	15	.444
Pittsburg	11	16	.407
New York	8	12	.381

**EXPLOSION KILLS 14**  
Portion of Du Pont Powder Mill in New Jersey Wrecked.

Gibbstown, N. J., May 16.—At least 14 were killed and about 20 injured in a terrific explosion at the Repaune plant of the du Pont powder company near here yesterday. The blast occurred in the building in which trinitrotoluol is manufactured, and wrecked that structure and three others. The cause of the explosion is not known, and, according to officials of the company, may never be ascertained, as all those believed to have been in the building where the first explosions occurred are dead.

Many of those killed and injured were outside the buildings involved, and were struck by the flying debris. Other workmen promptly went to the rescue and ambulance calls were sent into various surrounding towns. Some of the dead were so badly mangled that identification was difficult. Two dead remain unidentified and two other workmen are missing and are believed dead by the company officials.

## CONGREGATIONAL CONFERENCE OPENS TODAY

First Session of Annual Meeting This Afternoon

SPEAKER J. E. WEEKS PRESIDING

Addresses Will be Given by Men Prominent in The General Church Organization.

The 121st annual meeting of the Vermont Congregational conference opened at the Second Congregational church shortly after 2 o'clock this afternoon. The conference president, Hon. John E. Weeks of Middlebury, presides at the sessions and indications early this afternoon were that fully 125 delegates and many members of the church would be present during the deliberations.

The early part of this afternoon's session was taken up with the organization of the conference and the reports of the committees.

Among the prominent Congregationalists included in the list of speakers for this afternoon and evening are Rev. Frank M. Sheldon of Boston, secretary of Congregational Education society, Rev. William I. Haven of New York, secretary of the American Bible society and Rev. Hubert C. Herring of Boston, general secretary of the national council.

The 98th annual meeting of the Vermont Domestic Missionary society will be held in connection with the conference.

**BUILDING COLLAPSED, 11 DEAD**  
Explosion of Dynamite in Street Wrecks Akron, O., Restaurant.

Akron, O., May 16.—Eleven persons were crushed to death, three are missing and a score were seriously injured when the Crystal restaurant collapsed here tonight.

The screams of dying and injured brought thousands to the scene of the disaster in the heart of Akron's business district. A great pile of ruins, broken timbers, twisted steel and tons of brick and mortar, buried the victims, who a moment before were dining in the restaurant, housed in the old Beacon Journal building at Main and Quarry streets.

The bodies were taken out of the wreckage by firemen and police and volunteer rescuers who worked frantically, digging and chopping through the debris.

Rescuers dug for hours for the three others still buried in the ruins. A blast of dynamite set off a few minutes before in an excavation for a new building beside the restaurant, caused the collapse. The restaurant was a one-story structure, with a two-story false front. The front, topping backward, added a weight of many tons to the falling roof.

The crash came at 6:10 o'clock when the restaurant was crowded and when thousands were on the streets.

**SPINS AND KNITS AT 77**  
Mrs. Willard E. Bingham of South Newfane on Saturday, May 6, reached her 77th birthday anniversary. Mrs. Bingham is young and active for her years and has an abundance of dark brown hair. She keeps house for her eldest son, Linus W. Bingham, takes care of her hens and chickens, and occasionally walks to the home of her youngest son, who lives a mile away. Her second son, Milton A. Bingham, lives about midway between the other two homes.

In addition to her regular house-keeping duties, Mrs. Bingham each year spins and knits up about 20 pounds of wool rolls, which means 25 to 30 pounds of wool in the fleece. Her sons, the Bingham brothers have the only carding mill in this part of the county. Mrs. Bingham occasionally spins a small amount of yarn to accommodate some neighbor or friend, and at various times visitors have come long distances to see how spinning is done.

She learned this work when a girl, and as a young woman spun her 36 knots of yarn in a day. This was considered "a day's work." Much of her yarn in the early years was woven into cloth by her mother, Mrs. David Lamson. The heaviest of the cloth was full and finished at Captain Williams' fulling mill in Williamsville and was sold as suitings for men's clothing. Froeking, blankets, woolen sheets, and homespun dress goods also were woven from yarn which she spun.

In a picture of Mrs. Bingham, printed in the Brattleboro Reformer, the old fashioned hand reel which she always uses is seen lying on the rolls. She now knits her yarn into stockings, mittens and gloves, some being custom work.

Mrs. Bingham was born in Newfane and has lived there with the exception of seven years in West Brattleboro.



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**Application for License**

Pownal, May 6, 1916.  
Notice is hereby given that in compliance with Section 5115 of the Public Statutes of Vermont, Fred Ryan has made application for a license of the third class to sell intoxicating liquors in property known as the "Brookside Inn" in the town of Pownal, Vermont, in the Village of Pownal, Vt., said property is bounded as follows: North by lands of Patrick Barnes, east and south by lands known as the Burlington estate and on the west by the highway leading from Bennington to Willamstown, Massachusetts.

Public hearing on said application will be held at the residence of Elijah Barber in the Village of Pownal at 2 o'clock p. m., May 27, 1916.

Elijah Barber,  
Arthur Smith,  
George H. Dunn,  
License Commissioners of the Town of Pownal, Vt.

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